



Evangel

Presbyterian Church PCA

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Welcome
to Worship!

EVERY MEMBER A
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ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

The Lord's Day, May 3, 2026

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Meditation

Micah 6:8

"He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?"

APPROACHING GOD IN WORSHIP

Greeting: Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Call to Worship

Psalm 113:1, 5-8

Leader: Praise, O servants of the Lord, praise the name of the Lord!

People: **Who is like the Lord our God, who is seated on high, who looks far down on the heavens and the earth?**

Leader: He raises the poor from the dust and lifts the needy from the ash heap, to make them sit with princes.

All: **Praise the Lord!**

Psalm 146

Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah, O My Soul #57

Prayer of Adoration

APPROACHING GOD IN CONFESSION AND SERVICE

Call to Confession

1 John 4:20-21

If anyone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen cannot love God whom he has not seen. And this commandment we have from him: whoever loves God must also love his brother.

Prayer of Confession in Unison

Adapted from Martin Luther

Lord, I am weak in the faith; strengthen me. I am cold in love; warm me and make me fervent, that I may love my neighbor.

I am poor; You are rich and merciful to the poor. I am a sinner; You are upright. With me, there is an abundance of sin; in You is the fullness of righteousness. Forgive me, in Christ's name.

Silent Confession of Sin

The Lord's Assurance of Pardon

Ephesians 2:8-9

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

Hymn

My Worth is Not in What I Own

The Offering

Gloria Patri #735

Glory be to the Father,

And to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,

World without end. Amen, amen.

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn

The Church's One Foundation #347 (vv. 1-2, 5-6)

RECEIVING THE WORD OF GOD

The Scripture Reading and Response

Leviticus 19:9-18

James 2:1-13

Leader: The grass withers, the flower fades;

People: **But the Word of our God stands forever.**

Children are invited to Children's Church (ages 3-7). Teachers meet them in the foyer. Pick up is after the service at the end of the south hall.

Sermon

Playing Favorites

Adam McKinney

Prayer of Application

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

Hymn

Not in Me

Benediction

2 Corinthians 13:14

"The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
be with you all. Amen."

Doxology #731

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him, all creatures, here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen*

Postlude

SERMON NOTES

Playing Favorites

James 2:1-13

UPCOMING DATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

At last week's **Congregational Meeting**, both the bylaw revisions and the pastoral search committee were approved without opposition.

This month we are completing our transition from Realm to Planning Center. Planning Center will now serve as our primary tool for communication, giving, event registration, and scheduling. Our use of Realm will conclude on May 31. To stay connected, **use the *Church Center* app.**

Men's Group is Saturday, May 9th at 10:00 am at Nameless Coffee. We'll be discussing chapter 5 of Matthew Henry's *Method for Prayer* on prayers of intercession.

Women's Bible Study is Tuesday, May 12th at 7:00 pm in the conference room.

On May 24th, we will observe the Lord's Supper. Pastor Rick Franks will join us to preach. **We will also be celebrating our graduates with baskets available in the foyer for cards and gifts.**

CHURCH PROGRAMS

Kids' Choir.....	Sundays at 9:10 AM
Sunday School.....	Sundays at 9:10 AM
Gather	Sundays at 10:10 AM
Morning Worship	Sundays at 10:45 AM
Evangel Choir	Sundays at 12:10 PM
Caregiver Support Group ^{Third}	Sundays at 2:00 PM
Youth Group	Sundays at 3:30 PM
Kids' Quest Classes.....	Sundays at 4:00 PM
Prayer Time	Sundays at 4:00 PM
Women's Coffee Talks ^{First}	Saturday 10:00 AM
Women's Evening Study Group ^{Second & Fourth}	Tuesday at 7:00 PM
Men's Study Group ^{Second}	Saturday 10:00 AM
F.L.O.C.K.S. Groups	See group leaders for time and location

MISSION

Evangel believes the Bible is the infallible word of God and forgiveness and eternal life are obtained only through God's Son, Jesus Christ, who died as a substitute for His people. Our objective is to exalt the glory of God, to build up and sustain the faith of members, to engage in mutual service, to interpret today's happenings in the light of God's revelation, and to proclaim the Gospel to the world.

GUEST INFORMATION

Welcome to Evangel! Nursery care is provided for infants and toddlers under age three during Sunday school and the worship service.

Children's church is offered for children ages 3 to 7. Children may leave the service after the Scripture reading.

LEADERSHIP

Session

Brad Doeden
Bryan Fiscus
Marlon Johnston, Clerk of Session
Adam McKinney

Diaconate

Kyle Doeden
Zack Flummerfelt
Jeovano Lima